IDAHO LICENSING BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

Bureau of Occupational Licenses 700 West State Street, P.O. Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0063

Board Meeting Minutes of 7/25/2019

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Dennis M Baughman, LCPC - Chair

Sandra Sweesy

Steven I Lanzet, LCPC, LMFT Tami S Kammer, LMFT, LCPC

BUREAU STAFF: Kelley Packer, Bureau Chief

Dawn Hall, Deputy Bureau Chief

Julie Eavenson, Administrative Support Manager

Lori Peel, Investigative Unit Manager Nicholas Krema, General Counsel Rob McQuade, Legal Counsel Joan Callahan, Legal Counsel Pam Rebolo, Board Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT: Spencer Zitzman

Jillian Winters, Idaho Mental Health Counselors

Association

Darla Trent, Idaho Counseling Association

Sarah Hofer

Gemma Utting, Idaho Association for Marriage and

Family Therapy

Susan Pennington, Idaho Association for Marriage

and Family Therapy

Stephanie Alvarez, Idaho Association for Spiritual, Ethical, and Religious Values in Counseling

Beverly Hines, Idaho Mental Health Counselors

Association Beronica Salazar

Rick Boyes, Northwest Nazarene University

Liz Horn

Regina Moro, Boise State University David Kleist, Idaho State University

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM MDT by Dennis M Baughman, LCPC.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Ms. Kammer made a motion to approve the minutes of 5/3/19. It was seconded by Ms. Sweesy. Motion carried.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Ms. Hall gave the financial report, which indicated that the Board had a cash balance of \$105,649.11 as of 6/30/19.

FY 2020 BOARD CONTRACT

Mr. Krema reviewed the Board contract with members of the Board. Ms. Sweesy made a motion to accept the 2020 contract and authorize the Board chair to sign. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

BOARD MEETING PROCEDURES TRAINING

Mr. Krema presented training regarding Board meeting procedures.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Lanzet made a motion that the Board go into executive session under Idaho Code § 74-206(1)(d) to consider records that are exempt from disclosure under the Idaho Public Records Law. The purpose of the executive session was to consider materials relating to the fitness of a licensee to retain a license or registration. It was seconded by Ms. Sweesy. The vote was: Ms. Kammer, aye; Ms. Sweesy, aye; Mr. Lanzet, aye; and Mr. Baughman, aye. Motion carried.

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to come out of executive session. It was seconded by Ms. Sweesy. Motion carried.

DISCIPLINE

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to close case number COU-2019-13 with an advisory letter. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

After discussion, Ms. Sweesy made a motion to close case number COU-2019-16 with no action. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

After discussion, Ms. Sweesy made a motion to close case number COU-2019-18 with an advisory letter. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

INVESTIGATIVE REPORT

Ms. Peel gave the investigative report, which is linked above.

FOR BOARD DETERMINATION

Ms. Sweesy made a motion to approve the Bureau's recommendation and authorize closure in case numbers I-COU-2018-6, I-COU-2018-9 and I-COU-2019-37. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

The Board reviewed the To Do List and no action was taken.

NEW BUSINESS

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board reviewed correspondence from Brian Smith regarding the passage of HB03. The Board addressed this during public comment.

The Board reviewed correspondence from David Kleist regarding feedback on the full description of "practice of professional counseling" on the Board's website. The Board directed the Bureau to make changes on the Board's website.

The Board reviewed correspondence from Susan Roberts regarding practicum and internship credit on a transcript. The Board directed general counsel to respond.

The Board reviewed correspondence from David Routt regarding supervision hours listed on the verification of supervised hours form. Mr. Lanzet made a motion to authorize changes to the verification of supervised hours form to make it more clear for applicants to understand. Mr. Lanzet also added to his motion to have the Board respond to Mr. Routt regarding the changes. It was seconded by Ms. Sweesy. Motion carried.

The Board reviewed correspondence from Dawn-Elise Snipes regarding continuing education credits being accepted from state boards of counseling. The Board directed general counsel to respond.

The Board reviewed correspondence from Danielle Blessing-Taylor regarding the practice under telehealth, Title 54 Chapter 34. The Board directed general counsel to respond.

AMERICAN ASSOCATION OF STATE COUNSELING BOARDS INVOICE

Ms. Kammer made a motion to authorize payment in the amount of \$900.00 to the American Association of State Counseling Boards for annual dues. It was seconded by Mr. Lanzet. Motion carried.

CONFERENCE UPDATE AND ATTENDANCE

Mr. Sweesy made a motion to approve travel and expenses for two Board members to attend the Council of Licensure Enforcement and Regulation in conjunction with the Association of Marriage and Family Therapist conference scheduled for September 16-21 in Minneapolis, Minnesota. It was seconded by Mr. Lanzet. Motion carried.

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to amend travel and expenses for one Bureau staff member to attend the American Association of State Counseling Boards conference scheduled for August 6-8 in Washington, D.C. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

Ms. Kammer made a motion to designate Mr. Lanzet as the representative for the Board at the annual American Association of State Counseling Boards conference in Washington, D.C. It was seconded by Ms. Sweesy. Motion carried.

NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING UNDER THE RED TAPE REDUCTION AND LICENSING FEEDOM ACT EXECUTIVE ORDERS; OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND COMMENT

Ms. Packer addressed the audience regarding public comment for HB03 from the 2019 legislative session, which removed the requirement for a 60 hour master's level degree for licensure from the Board's law. Ms. Packer reiterated that the Board does not have any authority to determine what the universities require for a student to complete a master's level program.

Mr. Lanzet also reminded the audience that the Board sends postcards to all licensees of proposed law and rule changes, and that it did not receive any feedback from interested parties. The Board requested contact information from the associations for future notification.

Ms. Callahan reviewed the proposed rules with the Board. Ms. Sweesy made a motion to accept the rules and forward to the Governor's office. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to re-elect Mr. Baughman as chairman, and to elect Ms. Sweesy as vice-chair. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

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BUREAU STAFF: Julie Eavenson, Administrative Support Manager

Nicholas Krema, General Counsel Pam Rebolo, Board Specialist

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Ms. Sweesy made a motion to come out of executive session. It was seconded by Mr. Lanzet. Motion carried.

APPLICATIONS

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to approve the following for licensure:

ACEVEDO CARLOS FELIPE DE JESUS	LPC-7407
CARVER TIMOTHY J	LMFT-7397
CROCKETT MARGAUX EDWARDS	LCPC-7458
ECKLUND ERIC CHARLES	LPC-7457
FUNSTON MELISSA E	LPC-7460
HAYWOOD TABATHA DAWN	LMFT-7443
HORTON SEBASTIAN GEORGE	LPC-713
MACKLIN ELIZABETH A	LPC-7354
MARTINEZ NORMA ESCOBEDO	LPC-7343
NGADJUI OLIVIA THERESA	LPC-7445
PLATT VALERIE	LCPC-7449
ROSTECK JAMIE LEE	LPC-7428
SCHMELZENBACH KARLA MARIE	LPC-7307

It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to table the following pending receipt of additional information:

It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

Mr. Lanzet made a motion to approve the following pending receipt of additional information and review by a Board member or the Board chair:

It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

NEXT MEETING was scheduled for October 24 and 25 at 9:00 AM MDT.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Sweesy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:50 AM MDT. It was seconded by Ms. Kammer. Motion carried.

Dennis M Baughman, LCPC, Chair	Sandra Sweesy
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